Intimations.

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CHANTREY INCHBALD. Manager. Hongkong, 6th November, 1803.

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Authorised Capital£1,000,000 HEAD OFFICE:-HONGKONG.

Court of Directors: D. Gillies, Eag. ChowTungShang,Esq. Kwan Hol Chuen, Esq. H. Stolterfoht, Esq.

Chan Kit Shan, Esq. Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

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A. C. MARSHALL Manager, Hongkong, Hongkong, 17th May, 1894.

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THE SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the HONGKONG HOTEL on FRIDAY. the 1st of March, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1894, and to declare a dividend and elect a

Consulting Committee and Auditor. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 27th of February to the 1st March, both days inclusive. GEO. FENWICK.

General Manager. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1805. THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SECOND ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the OFFICE of the COMPANY, No. 9, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 2nd March 1805, at 12 o'clock NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to the 31st October, 1894. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th instant to the and proximo (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. A. DUFF.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1805. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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> By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES.

Secretary. Hongkong, 18th February, 1895.

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D Fester and Pall Mall Whist Markers. European Pictures of Year. The Queen " 'Kmas No. New Engravings and Artists Sundries. Art Annual—Burne Jones. Men's Dansing Pumpe. Palent Leather Evening Shoes. Photographic Goods, Nautical Diary & Chronometer Rate Book, '95. Photo-plate Piquetting Frame.

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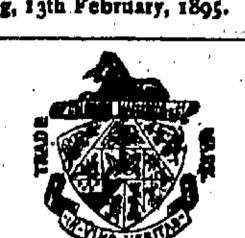
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Hongkone oth January, 1895.

Hongkong, Sāturday, February 23, 1895.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB RACE MEETING, 1895.

Stewards :- His Excellency Sir William Robinson, K.C.M.G.; His Excellency Vice-Admiral the Hon. Sir E. R. Fremantle, K.C.B. His Excellency Major-General Digby Barker, C.B : Commodore Boyes, R.N.; Colonel Macdonell, R.A.; Colonel Mulloy, R.R.; Lieut, Co'onel St. Paul, The Rifle Brigade; Licut. Colonel Barrow, Hongkong Regiment; The Hon, C. P. Chater; A. Coxon, Esq.; R. M. Gray, Esq ; H. E. Hobson, Esq.; The Hon, J. J. Keswick; D. Giller, Esq.; M. Grote, Esq.; J. D. Humphreys, Fsq.; T. Jackson, Esq.

Clerk of Scales :- H. E. Hobson, Esq. Judge: - The Hon. C. P. Chater. Starter :- M. Grote, Esq. 2nd Starter : -A. Babington, Esq. Hon. Treasurer :- J. C. Peter, Esq.

Acting Clerk of the Course: - Hart Buck, Esq.

OFF DAY, -SATU. DAY, FEBRUARY 23RD. As usual on 'off days,' the attendance in the enclusure was very large, and despite the threatening outlook of the weather the whole line of ralls was crowded with spectators. The first saddling bell rang at two o'clock, and ten events had to be contested. The first on the programme was the "Lunna" Cup, presented by the owner of the horse of that name, ofor unplaced subscription griffins, distance seven furlongs. Five competitors came to the post, and Gibraltar, well handled by Mr. Sar pron. won a fine race by a length and a half from Bonus, who, in turn, beat Nixnutz by a length. The "Black Velvet" Cup, contested by five competitors-Celt, Sunrise, Voltigeur, Warlock, and Harlang-was the most exciting race of the

when Warlock, carefully nursed by Craichebank,

finish, which caused intende excitement, sesuited in a head victory for the popular colours. "dark blue and silver braid." Harfang, well ridden by Fullerion, was a good third. For the Visitors' Cup, volued at \$120, a field of five faced the sterter, and Chersi, who held s commanding lead on entering the straight, won by a length and a quarter from Blue Ribbon and Baccarat in 1 min. 10% secs. The Morrison Cup, presented by Capt. A. H. Thomas, D. A. A. G., for all heaten subscription criffins, brought out a field of five, Pickaninny, Mr. Master up, was installed a bot favourite, with the overrated Diogenes second in demand. The race, which prove I to be most exciting practically laid between the two favouries, who fought out a most desperate issue resulting in the "spotted" Pickaninny being bowled over by a short head. Diognenes' victory was a very popular one. The "A" Cup, presented by member from Shanghal, produced four

runners. To en indifferent start. The Rake made play, followed by Harfang and Dandy, Glengaira being left in the ruck. In the back straight. The Rake, who collapsed. was passed by Dandy and Glengairn, and the former, who was full of running, landed first in 1 min. 57% secr. The Hongkong S'esplechase, which brought out eight 'timbertoppers, ' resulted in a win for Alaric, who nearly threw Mr. Gresson 13 mile from home. Four contested the Dun Cup, and Chesal, admirably ridden by Mr. Taylor, secured his second winning bracket for the day. The Majoos' Champions brought out six runners, and Cobweb, well ridden by Mouse, scored an and Dandy adding another win to his day's good third.

going amiss. It is worthy of note in connection with the Derby that Mr. David's Scot would undoubtedly have contested first honours with the over-rated Black Velvet had he been at the post in good going order. Unfortunately this fine specimen of Mongolian racers had not been able to lay down for three days prior to the races, and, under the circumstances, seeing that he ran the race practically on three legs only, he must be regarded as a pony with a great future before

him. The Telegraph will watch his career with

laurels. The match between Hard Times and

Dundee was declared off, owing to the latter

The races now being over, a word or two of praise in respect of the police arrangements will not be out of place. Nothing could have exceeded the orderly conduct of the vast crowds, both inside and outside the Enclosure, and f om the time when the first saddling bell rang till the numbers were run up for the last race of the day, there was, we understand, not the slightest cause of any complaint in any shape or form. Nothing happened that could In any way injuriously affect the tender susceptibilities of even the most rabid Exeter Hall fanatic. The Capt, Superintendent of Police (Mr. F. H. May), Mr. G. Horspool (Deputy Super-Intendent), Chici Inspector Mathieson, and Inspectors Quincey, "ennessey, Kemp, Butlinand Acting Insp ator Baker are the officers to whom the public are undoubtedly indebted for the performance of aiduous duties in an admirable

During the af soon the band of the Hongkong Regiment played various selections in their

Before dropping the curtain on the Hongkong Races of 1895, we must give the responsible officials the utmost credit for their efforts to make the meeting in every way a success. Meesrs. M. Grote and A. Babington were as efficient as product of the juice of the grape and are not i usual with the flags, Mr. H. E. Hobson in the weighing room, and Mr. C. P. Chater in the judge's box. The Acting Clerk of the Course, Mr. Hart Buck, was ubiquitous, and the success of the Hongkong Carn val is in a measure due

Particulars of to-day's races are as under ;being merely a question of age and vintage, The "LUNNA" CUP; presented; second pony to receive the entrance feer; for unplaced subscription griffins at this meeting; weight for inches as per scale; entrance \$5. Seven fur-

> Mr. Darlus' Gibretter, rost 91b...Mr. Sampson Mr. Elgar's Bonue, rost relb Mr. Master a Mr. Jay's Nixautt, 11st 1lb......Mr. Burkill Mr. Boden's Chop Chop 11st 1lb...Mr. Boden o

Mr./Manners' Crasader, rost 13lb Mr. Cruickshank o Won by a length and a balf: a fair third.

The "BLACK VELVET" Cup; presented; value \$150; second pony to receive the entrance fees; for all beaten griffins at this meeting subscription griffins allowe i 7 lbs. ; weight for luc' es as per scale; entrance \$5. Three quarters of a mile.

Mr. John Peel's Warlock, 11st 2lb..... Mr. Cruickshank Mr. David's Cel' 10st 12lb,..... 'Mr. George's Harlang, 10st 12lb Mr. Fullerton 3 Dr. Moble's Sparise, tist ilbMr. Taylor o Mr. J. D. Humphreys' Voltigeur, 11st 11b... Mr. Hart Buck c

Warlock, ridd a with excellent judgment throughout, won by a head only from Celt after a terrific struggle down the straight. Harlang, who was a very good third, ran neck and neck with Celt until the straight was approached, when he was collared by Warlock, with the result stated. Time, 1 min, 31 secs.

The "Visitors'" Cup; presented; value \$120 and entrance fees; second pony to receive \$45 : for beaten ponies at the merting ; griffine of this year allowed 7 lbs; subscription griffins of this year allowed to lbs; weight for inches as per scale; entrance \$5. One

Mr. Little's Chessi, tost 12lb Mr. Taylor Mr. David's Blue Ribbon, 10st 12ib Mr. Burkill 2 Lord Conyngham's Baccars', 10st 81b Mr. Hart Buck 2 Mr. Jay's Tankred, 10st 11lb ... Mr. Sampson Mr. Carruthers' Havoc, 11st 4'b

Mr. Cruickshank o Chesal, capitally sidden throughout by Mr. Taylor, came through his field near the village and entering the straight with a commanding lead held the issue safe, coming in a length and a quarter in advance of Blue Ribbon; Baccarat; hard ridden throughout, being a good third.

The "Morrison" (UP; presented by Captain to-day, and will leave again at to pint for receive the entrance fees; for beaten subcription griffins of this season; ponies that have sun second penalized 3 lbs : unplaced | repairers, product | 10 miles ponies allowed 3 lbs ; weight for inches as per

scale; entrance \$5. One mile. Mr. Aldale's Diogenes, 11st 4lh...Mr. Gresson 1 Mr. Derick-Hunfer's Pickeninny, 10st 12ib... Mr. Master 2 Mr. David's Silve: Cloud, tost gib Mr. Burkill 3

Mr. Kremer's Fra Diavolo, 10st rolb...... Mr. Sampson o Mr. Beaconsfield's Premier, rost 12lb.....

Capt. Thomas o Pickaninny statted a hot favourite for this race." Diogener, hard ridden throughout by Mr. Gresson, won by a short head from Pickspinny, whore rider made vigorous efforts to collar bim near the village; a fair

third. Time, 2 min, 13 secs.

Mr. Derick-Hunter's Lunne, 10st Chu Su 2 Mr. Taylor's Hobeit, 10st Cheung Hung 3 Capt. Thomas' Morrison, fostAh Mow

Mr. Boyd's Danmore, 10st Chow Shing of Mr. David's Silver Dart, rostPekin o Cobweb won just as he pleased in amin, 43h secs ; a fair third ; the rest in a string stretching a quarter of the length of the straight.

The Hongkong Sterpechase Cup; presented by A. C. S. Manners, Eeg.; for all China ponics; previous winners of a Steeplechase ibs, extra; entrance \$5 to go to second pony; over a course selected by the Stewards. Six to start or no sace.

Mr. Ingles' Alaric, rost rail.....Mr. Gresson 1 Mr. Fourman's Magic, tost 131b..Mr. Stayeley 2 Mr. J. D. Humphreys' Voltigeur, 11st 11b Mr. Hart Back 3

Mr. Cruickshank's Gungadeen, rrat alb...... Mr. Cruickshapk o Mr. Powell's Blackbird, 1 est 6lb... Mr. Power o Mr. Landale's Endeavour, 12st 2lb.....

Mr. Landale o Mr. Babbington's Beg, 11st 6'b...Mr. Salmon o Passing the Stand the first time round Voltigeur was leading, closely attended by Magic and Alaric, the others hopelessly out of the hunt. Then Alaric, capitally ridden throughout by Mr. Gresson (who was very nearly thrown over his pony's head at the Black Rock fence on the journey home) answered his pilot's call gamely and shooting abead of Magic led up the back straight and closely pursued by Voltigeur cleared his jumps in casy vict ry. Three contested the Maloos' Race, admirable style, and won by four lengths; a

> THE "A" CUP; value \$150; presented by "A receive the entrance fees; for beaten ponies at this meeting; placed ponies at this meeting penalized 31bs.; subscription griffins allowed 5lbs.; entrance \$5. Once round.

Mr. Dryasdust's Dandy, 10st 12b, Mr. Burkill Mr. George's Harfang, 11st 11b Mr. Jones Mr. Roy's Glengairn, rost, talb ... Mr. Master

Mr. Taylor's The Rake, 11st 1lb ... Mr. Taylor o The Rake made the running from Harfang and Dandy, Glengalra, who was fairly left at the post at the start, bringing up the flank. In the back straight Dandy took the lead for about 100 yards and then fell back, while Glengairn came up and easily passing The Rake, who collapsed before the tustle up the hill commenced, challenged the leader, and a fine struggle past the village ended in Dandy, who was well ridden throughout, leading into the straight and remping bome the victor with several lengths to spare; a good third. Time, 1 min. 57% secs.

The "Dun" Cup; presented; second pony to receive the entrance fees ; for all beaten pontes. " go below " for fourteen days. at this meeting; weight for inches as per scale; griffins allowed a lbs; subscription griffins of this meeting allowed 7 lbs.; entrance 35. One mile and a quarter.

Mr. Little's Chesal, tost 12lb Mr. Taylor 1 Lord Conyngham's Baccarat, 10st 12lb

Mr. Hart Buck Mr. Carruther's Havoc 11st 416..... Mr. Cruickshank Mr. Jay's Tankred, 11st 1lb Mr. Sampson

Chesal made the running, closely followed by Baccarat, Havoc and Tankred. This order was maintained until nearing the village, where Baccarat challenged. Chesal was, however, equal to the occasion and, gamely responding/ to Mr. Taylor's call, led into the straight and, ridden hard, waitzed in the winner by half a length; a good third. Time, 2 min, 44 secs.

The MAFOOS' RACE; first prize, \$20; second prize, \$10; third prize, \$5; for all beaten ponies; weight rost.; entrance \$5. Once

down the straight ended in a complete victory | Empire. for Dandy by a length.

This race brought the race-meeting to a close without a single bitch or accident of any kind and, in fact, in a manner that reflects the greatest credit on the responsible officials to whom the thanks of the community are due for four days' healthy recreation and very enjoyable amusement. And as far as the Telegraph ! concerned we have to thank the Stewards for their kind consideration shown to the writer, who, but for their courtesy and assistance would, in the deeply regrettable absence of his old friend and colleague, "An Old Sportsman," have found it extremely difficult, if not quite impossible, to furnish the readers of this journal with anything like a comprehensive report of the various events.

MATCH; for \$200; Hard Times versus Dundee; weight for inches as per scale. Half a mile. Dundee being a little lame to-day, the interesting match arranged between him and Hard Times was cancelled,

TELEGRAMS

THE SITUATION IN EGYPT,

LONDON, February 23rd. The situation in Egypt is viewed with calmness in official quarters, and it is considered that needless importance is attached to the disquieting symptoms at Alexandria.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

BROADWOOD PIANOS at W. Robinson & Co.

THE Kowloon murder case was again called before Mr. Hestings at the Magistracy yesterday, and further remanded till the 28th last.

COLLARD & COLLARD PIANOS at W. Robinson

THE Canadian Pacific Rallway Co.'s steamship Empress of India arrived at Shanghai at 1 a.m. A. H. Thomas, D.A.A.G.; second pony to Vancouver, via Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama,

W. ROBINSON & Co., plane builders, tuners and

MR. GLADSTONE has in the press a new work on which he has been engaged for many years. It consists of a concordance of the Prayer-Book version of the Psalms, together with a subdivision of the Pealms under their various headings, NEAR Bay View Hotel early this morning a favorable to his endeavors. and other information of a similar kind. The | horrible sight was witnessed in the partly burnt

NEW Comic Song and Dance Albums at W. Robinson & Co.

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamship Empress of Japan arrived at Nagasaki at 6.30 a.m. yesterday, and left again at 3 p.m. the

NEW plane repairing machinery, received by

W. Robinson & Co.

about 12.30 p.m.

Owing to the "Off-Day" races the competition at the Honekong Rifle Association's range today for the Long Range Cup and Spoons was not so well attended as usual.

FULL stock of barjas, mandolines, guitars, accordions, strings and fittings of all kinds at W. Robinson & Co. THE Agents (Messrs. Dodwell, Carlill & Co.) inform us that the Northern Pacific Steamship

Co.'s steamer Sikh arrived at Yokohama yester-

day, and will leave for this port to-morrow, via Tapan ports. THE Mission steam-launch Day Spring will call alongside vessels hoisting code pennant C, between o and 10.30 a.m., on Sunday, to convey

men ashore to the II o'clock service, returning

The last but one performance of the pantomime "Robinson Crusoe," by the Amateur Dramatic Club, will be given at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, to-night, commencing at o p.m. A matinee is announced for Monday afternoon at 4 p.m.

THE German Reichstag has a Bill in hand regarding dishonorable business competition. The Bill is aimed against business men whose advertisements are untruthful, and who directly Member from Shanghal;" second pony to or covertly destroy the business of other firms by intimating that their competitors' goods are worthless. The Bill has been sent to the Berlin Chamber of Commerce for discussion and expert

> MISS JINX:-- I like a man with a past, man with a post is always interesting." Miss Blinks :- "That's true : but I don't think he's nearly so interesting as the man with

a foture." Miss Winks :- "The man who interests me a man with a present ; and the more expensive the present is the more interest I take in and

AT the Magistracy to-day, before Mr. Wedehouse, P. B. Golden, stoker of the American cruiser Detroit, was fined \$2 for disorderly conduct in the Colonial Fotel and assaulting a Chinese lukong while in the execution of his prompt suppression of those crime-hegetting of the Emperor are considered members of this duty at a late hour last night. The fireman elected to pay the shekels rather than to

T will be remembered that several Parisian | keeping with the progressive apirit of the age, | receive a downy of one hundred and twenty-five newspapers intimated that Germany was In this connection the following from a recent delians at their marriage, and similar sums for implicated in the recent disgraceful Dreyfus lasue of the Singapore Free Press cannot full burlal at the death of a member of their family. affair. Capt. Dreyfus was found guilty of to be of interest, and we need therefore offer no It is well known that they often ill-treat their selling State secrets to the enemies of France. spology for reproducing it in extenso:but the Government has, it seems, now found it convenient to declare that none of the foreign in the law courts, the Anti-Gambling League | these members of the clan have some influence, embassies were in communication with the contemptible traitor.

AMERICAN society is stated by a Chicago paper | hold of the English turl, should have afforded to pay. to now have a new diversion known as parlour | the crusaders against betting the chance fortball. It is played on a large table, the foot- of attacking the lockey Club in its very ball being an eggsbell, from which the contents | clindel. This is a case where the Issue Is have been removed through a small hole in one | safe to be well thrashed out, because on and the egg is propelled by blowing, instead of | whose main object it is to make penal all forms remarks our facetious contemporary.

THE Turkish Government has formally the suppression of gambling abuses that verge than that of the King of Korea. A few hundred demanded that the British Government should on crime, we take it that everybody is agreed. | mounted guards, then the yellow Imperial litter, Mr. John Peel's Seamew, rostNin Nee 3 stand that Gladstone is no longer at the head to interfere with the right of personal liberty. This closed to traffic, and all windows must be closed Dandy was left at the post, but Iba hustled of affairs in England, that he has a perfect Indeed, appears to be an age of interdict, and him along in capital style and by the time the right to express his opinions as a Member of the motive of each one of the hundred cliques Rock was reached he was nearly on even terms Parliament, whenever and wherever he pleases, that society in England runs Into, is merely to with the leader, Harfang, Seamew by this time and that the laws relating to liberty of the having fairly collapsed. A grand struggle Press are not yet dead letters in the British.

> Amongst the season's novelties may be noted the invention of an ingenious French physician who cures a nervous headsche by means of a "vibrating helmet." This is distinctly the newest thing in patents, but imagine the sensation of meeting a gentleman whose head kept moving at you, or the sight of a couple of bundred solar topees wobbling about at, say. reception by his Excellency the Governor. would be, as the practically morribund aesthetes would say, quite too uttably uttab |

> THE Pacific Mail steamship Riode Taneiro which has been undergoing repairs, in the Cosmopolitan dry dock, was towed into the harbour on Thursday morning. The ugly rent made in her, by an 'unknown' rock off the Japanese coast, bas, disappeared, and she has been otherwise benovated in many respects and is now in Ar condition and as as ever. She will leave here at once for a short stay in the fresher water of the Canton river, in order to free her shell of barnacles and sea to and from San Francisco.

> WE greatly regret having to chronicle the death of Mr. George W. Snelling, which occurred at bls residence in Arsenal Street at 1.30 this morning, from general debility, at the age sixty-five. Mr. Snelling, an old and respected resident of this colony, came to Hongkong In the "fiftles," and while here held various positions of public trust, and, among others, was for sometime connected with the Police. By all who knew him he was very popular and was much esteemed for his quiet and gentlementy ways. The funeral will pass the monument, Happy Valley, at 9.45 a.m. to-morrow, and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

HORSEs are peculiarly liable to injury from contact with electric currents. This is not due, according to The London Lancet, to physical structure but to other causes, some of which are RWANG-SU, EMPEROR OF CHINA, depends upon the skill of the blacksmith to some extent. The shoes offer a large surface animal's weight sids the contact, and a wet and the fetlocks should be carefully trimmed.

HAOIB Suliman, an Indian salesman, who these coal lumpers use. Overcome with fatigue following :admitted three previous convictions for disorderly | he lay down to rest between Black Rock and the Police Court this morning, charged for creating a some way the lamps fell over, when the oil disturbance and assaulting an incaste of a meason | spread and set fire to his clothing and burnt him de bleiste in Cochrane Stragt easly this morning. | badly. At 6 a.m. he was taken to the Govern-

THE ANTI-BETTING FIASCO.

Ne Quid Nimis.

"Go slowly, gentlemen, in your so-called reforms. Go slowly !" This is the substance of a cablegram just received from London, which states that the Newmarket Bench have dismissed the summons issued against the Inckey Club and refused to grant permission for an appeal of the community which always imagine the influence. moment to fall into the "bottomicss pit" disturbers of the public prace.

has falled of its main object what reason can there | altogether. be for its existence in its present form. Far "But the Imperial clan will probably put a better, if necessary, after it with a view to the stop to such attempts at reform. The descendants bovels on the confines of our territory, against clan until the twelfth generation; many of which it was, we think, levelled by Governor Des the nearer relatives receive large annual Voux, and modify or excounge certain clauses apparages, those of the (welfth degree only about which are as superfluous as they are out of three dollars per month and rations. But they

compel the other ninety-nine to refrain from doing what is to the hundredth a pet aversion, The vegetarians would hold Paradise on earth to be reached when roast bref and red herrings are banished from the land. The tectotaler's misery consists in seeing his thirsty fellow mortal enjoy a glass of beer, and believes in a Promised Land flowing with flatulent acrated water and mawkish gingerade. The anti-tobacconist would banish the southing sipe of the seductive cigar to the flames of Tartarus, and questions the wisdom of creative Providence in having allowed any such plant to cumber the face of the earth. And as for snuff it were better that ma kind should go about the worl minus notes than that the human postril shoul! thus basely titlifate itself for comfort's sake. Without enumerating the others it is to be observed that the satirist was in the main right when he claimed them as those who Commound for sins they are inclined to

By damning those they have no mind to. The important point to note is that all these efforte, useful enough when exercised in legi timate ways and within a duly circumscribed degree, that is to say, to the hindering of excess, are pushed too far by their partisans. Hence incrustations, which fresh water so quickly comes those organised attacks on personal destroys, and then she will return to Hongkong | freedom of action that involve one of the pre-test for her cargo, load and resume her regular trips | social dangers of these days. This design to shackle personal liberty by carrying aggression over the line of moderation needs to be carefully watched and held in check, I That is now coming to be clearly apprehended, and it is this fact that lends a wider interest to the assault that Mr. Hawke and his Anti-Gambling League are now making on the Stewards of the Jockey Club. This latter body will be well backed up by the new and powe ful Sporting League which has been lately created to withstand attacks of the nature that now bring made upon the bighest Turf in the present war result, as it probably will, in authority in England and in the world. case is bound to engross public attention at struggle and in the dawn of civilization appearing home and the ruling finally given will closely affect the operations of all sections of the sporting community at home and abroad. And, as above stated, the verdict was-1

busted case, hoodiums "left," betting O.K., Jockey Club safe,

for contact and the nails are conductors by obtained a view of the Emperor Kwang-sti, subjects of the Emperor Kwang-sti or which the current may enter the body, although I otherwise the alleged "Son of Heaven," speak | the teeming millions of Christendom; for, the sole of the hoof itself is an insulator. The lavorably of him. He is small and thin, we are although present prospects favour hopes of lasttold, but much more energetic and intelligent ing peace, yet latent possibilities forbid undue fetlock increases the danger. Blacksmiths, there- than is generally supposed to be the care, and confidence in the immediate future. It is quite fore, should not drive the nalls to the " quick," is credited with being cognisant, to a certain on the cards that Li Hung-chang's mission to extent, of the corruption which reigns in his Japan may prove as barren of desirable results empire. His life and surjoundings are not very as were the previous attempts, real or feigned,

Ernest v. Hesse-Wartegg, who supplies to the the Mikado's advisers, yielding to the influence Pealter with these addends will be printed in a body of an agonized coolie. Coming back from his Germans sketches of the different nations he of Great Britain and Russis, be willing to parley small pocket-volume, and published early by work at Quarry Bay, where he had been loading has seen, much after the manner of Max O'Rell, with the "Ching Tang" there is probably no coal from 7 p.m. to 4 a.m. he was carrying, on a gives a description of the Emperor's life in the Chinaman living better able to discuss the bamboo pole, seven kerosene lamps such as Gartenlaube, Leipzig, from which we take the questions that are bound to arice than is Li

"Kwang-Su, the Son of Heaven, came to however, that had the Emperor of Chica conduct, appeared before Mr. Wodehouse at the Bay View Hotel and accidentally fell asleep. In the throne in consequence of a crime. His in this his hour of need, sought the good predecessor, Tung-Chth, died in 1875 of small- offices of Sir Robert Hart and despatched vox, although his physicians caused \$1,000 worth | him in company with Prince Kung to the day. Harfang and Celt were running neck and The MAPOOS' CMAMPIONE; first prize, \$35; A fine of \$5 for being drank mont Civil Hospital, where his injusies were beeven to drive out the devil. He left a hand- been more reason for hoping that the end of The MAPOOS' CHAMPIONS; first prize, \$35; or time or mo, was impossed on the prize of the condition of the co

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his death. But that did nht satisfy the two Regents, the Empresses Tu g-Tal-Han and Sie-Tal-Hon. Tung-Chih's widow was given a little powder which speedily semoved her, had the two old ladies called a family council, which resulted in the election of the present Emperor, then only three years old. Tung-Tai-Han, the Empress of the Eastern Chamber, died in 1881. and the 'Empress of the Western Chamber,' Sic-Tai-Han, assumed soid centrol, The agrinst their decision. While this may come Emperor was declared of age in 18%, but as a violent shock to the goody-goody element | the Dawager-Empress confinues to have much

average man-of-the-world is likely at any ... The poor Emperor's youth was eigenless Penough. His whole life was fenced in by strict and is only saved therefrom by the ceremonial, no pleasures being included in its irritating efforts of misenided and hysteri- daily routine. He rose with the sun and was cal enthusiasts—vet rational beings all crammed with Chinese learning by his masters the world over will rejoice to learn that the | until sunset, meal-times only excepted. He was English Bench have not last their heads and punished, too, if refractory, but, as a 'Sm of that a man may sell take his wee nip and puff Heaven' cannot be 'walloped' like a common his fragrant weed, indulge in an occasional mortal, a substitute was engaged, whose duty it game of cards or lay the odds without being was to receive the bamboo strokes intended for branded as a law-brecker and being manu- the Imperial pupil. The Emperor, however, factured Into a criminal. The Bench also was forced to be present when his substitute. evidently thinks, and rightly so, too, that | who beers the mirthful name of Ha-Ha-Chutse, the whole world should not be converted presented that part of his body to the teacher into a psalm-smiting mission field, wherein the which is usually belaboured on such occasions. "chosen few" may run riot and ride rough | "Imperor Kwang-Su is kept as much as

shod over the rights and liberties of everybo'y, possible from contract with the outer world, but who is, according to their inne reasoning, he is resti as, and anxious to break through the "lost;" and evidently it further believes that | cast-iron ceremonial which surrounds him. If so long as a man keeps within the four corners his dynasty lives through the present crisis, of the Statutes there is not an lots of justification, better times may be expected for China, If for regarding interference with his enjoyment some little powder does not first end his of national time-honoured pastimes as either fair | career. The most noteworthy instance of his or warranted. On the contrary, it would desire to act independently was that he recently appear from the ruling in question that every conducted some examinations in person. The man and woman in the Empire is bound to Ham Lin Academy is the highest institute in respect the rights of his neighbour, and China; its members are governors, mandaring, I he behaves himself in a decent and civilised and embassadors, and it also supplies the the courts are prepared to let him teachers for the Imperial princes. The Emperor life to the fullest and will protect has not yet been blessed with offspring, although him as far as possible from the unscrupulous he has many wives; but, according to rouline, attacks of all fanatics, whether they be noti- the teachers for his possible children have gambling more manufact or any other species already been appointed. The post is, of course, of possibly well-meaning but sadly misguided a sinecure, and much corruption was practiced to be numbered among the chosen few. Fancy We would suggest here that the present the astonishment of the court when the Emper or appears a fitting time to medify the ordered the manuscript essays of the candidates anti-gambling law of the colony which to be submitted to him. He ran riot with the was passed chiefly with a view, we recommendations of the commission. Six believe, to afford the Government reasonable officials whose comparatively small cash congrounds for demanding of the Chinese Govern. | tributions caused the committee to place them ment the extinction of those sinks of iniquity- among the last off the list, were elevated to the Samsulpo and Chinese Kowloon gambling the first rank. Others, who were mentioned "hells." The law was not in ended to deharrest. | among the most learned individuals, were put dents from indulying in legitimate sport and as it | into the third or fourth class, or thrown out

wives to bring about their death, in order to Undeterred by the effect of their recent rebuff | obtain the dowry for a fresh marriage. But all have come on to the charge once more, flying at | hence the terrible corrupti n. Rank, honors, high gime this time. It is just as well that the coffice, distinction, everything is for sale and at bench of magistrates at Newmarket, a strong, the command of those who are willing and able

d Curiously eno gh, outward pomp does not constitute a part of the life at the Imperial court. Even the Japanese court is much more gay." Gilded uniforms, orders, and stars are altogether end. The goals are at o posite ends of the table, one side is engaged the influence of a large body | wanting. The clo hing of the courtiers is of rich, heavy silk, but of dark colors, with the kicking. In a game of this kind the person who of speculation associated with sport, and on the exception of the breast ornament showing the has previously eaten an onion invariably wins, other is arrayed the social weight of the rank of the holder. The Emperor only leaves organization that has for years upheld the credit his palace to go to a temple, or to wisit the exand the traditions of the turf in England. As to Empress, and his cortige is even more simple shutters. The guards are under order to relentlessly fire upon any one who shows himself."—The Literary Digest.

THE PROSPECTS OF PEACE.

LI HUNG-CHANG'S MISSION.

The following from the New York Tribune, which is about as near the truth as can be expected under the present circumstances, cannot fall to be of interest :- "For the first time in a generation Asia has, in the year just closed, been the scene of the world's chief interest. 'A quarrel over Korea, forced by China upon Japan, led to open war. Although outnumbered by ten to one, the Japanese, by virtue of superior civilization, have had an unbroken series of victories, and are now in a position to dictate terms of peace to their thoroughly crushed and humbled foes. The immediate results of the war have been an exhibition —the first ever made on any considerable scaleof the fighting powers of modern battle-ships, and a demonstration of Japan's marvellous progress in the arts of war as well as in those of peace. The more important and lasting results will apparently, be these : The Hermit Kingdom will be redeemed from barbarism and opened to civilization; Chinese conservatism and corruption will no longer dominate the affairs of all Eastern Asia; and China itself will no longer menace the world as an invulnerable and potentially all-destructive force; and civilized Tapan will henceforth rank as the chief native Power of Asia, and, indeed, one of the great Powers of the world. Despite its cost, this is a consummation for which humanity is to be profoundly grateful. It alone is ufficient to make 1894 an ever-memorable year,-The mere fact of Japan whipping an unprepared, corrupt and effore enemy does not of Itself sentitie her to be classed as "one of the Great Powers of the world" though, should her success The vast benefits to all nations interested in the in all its glory in the huge and grossly misgoverned empire of China, then Dai Nippon, in view of such magnificent services rendered to the cause of progress and civilization will not look in vain for recognition as an important factor of the comity of civilized nations. But the final settlement of the questions at laure between the belligerents has yet to be determined and it would therefore be premature to assume thus early that the results of war will be The few European ambassadors who have in the main beneficial either to the hapless to patch up the quarrel, though should Hung-chang. We are inclined to think,

in range of the practical politics of the day. Of course, "all's well that ends well," and if LI Hung-chang's mi sion meets with success all who have important commercial interests at stake in the Par East will have cause to rejoice that their business will not be prejudicially affected during the busy season now so close at hand.

MILITARY EXACTION.

The Singapore Free Press. In its last number makes the following fertible and equitable appeal for filter treatment in regard to their proportionate share of military taxation.

In the passages quoted below the public of this Colony may find matter for immense wonder that a Government of a people that can afford itself such altruistic juxuries, should come to degrade itself, in the name of those very people, to "corner" a hel dass Colony and " sneak " its revenues to defray the Imperial expenses of those luxurious altruists.

Mr. Henry C. Burdett, dating from the Lodge, Porchester Square, W. (31st Dec.), writes to the

Spector, as follows :-

I could wish that the Spectator would add the weight of its most convincing and sober authority In favour of the statement that "English charity was never in a bealthier or more progressive condition if an at the present time." The force and truth of this assertion is commanised by the ofreumstance that the total sum expended annually in charitable gifts, is not $f_{7,000,000}$ 25 you suppose, but a swards of fro 000,000, the 77,000 con I mentioned in my letter to the Times only representing the income of the greater charitles which have their head-quarters in Lordon. If we include all English charities, then the income is probably not far short of from f_i rs 000,000 to f_i 20,000,000 per annum, a sum so immense as to make most men wonder. All men of knowledge and authority declare. that if overlapping could be prevented, as it can be, then the income of English charities is, large enough to provide adequately for the needs of the whole population whose necessities require relief or succour during some portion of each year.

As to the funds for our Missions alone raised In the metropolis the following paragraph from the Globe is instructive :--

An insight into the proportionate popularity of the various forms of charity is afforded by an editor's note to the twentieth edition of the Classified Directory to the Metropolitan Charities, of which we have received an advance copy. Foreign missions applian to enjoy the greatest populari y, with a total of just under a million. sterling. Home missions rank next, with threegraviers of a million, which is exactly frootood more than given to all the hospitals, special sad miscell appaye combined. Institutions for referentian and prevention are low down on the Hist, with £80,000; and nursing institutions are near bottom, with /12000. Evidently the adoge that "charity bugins at home" is far from being generally secepted.

This Colony, being for away, should have on the above grounds a fair claim to a just and school/able appreciation of its appeal for fairplay. But when all this treasure is being poured out like water, some of it for real good, some of it for comparatively unimportant objects, it difficult to see why Colony should be financially managed to may the proper military expenses of a nation capable of such pecuniary gush.

THE MERCHANT SHIPPING (CER TIF/CATED OFFICERS) BILL.

We have been favoured with a copy of the above named Bill, which was introduced in the House of Commons by Messrs, Neville, Willox and W. F. D. Smith and will, we understand, shortly he read a second time in Parliament. The chlef clauses in the Bill are :-

United Kingdom or elsewhere unless the master | competency or service appropriate to their several stations in such ship, or of a higher employs any person so master or first, or second, or two. or third, or only mate of any ship as aforesaid. without ascertaining that he is at the time entitled to and possessed of such certificate. shall for each such offence incur a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds. For the purpose of this section, the appropriate certificate for all vessels within home-trade limits shall be the Archbishop that the sermon preached by Bishop home-trade passenger certificate.

tonnage or upwards shall proceed to sea unless, Bishop McQuald condemned Archbishop Ireland it carries a master, first mate, and second mate, for what he alleged was improper interference on each of whom has obtained and possesses a behalf of the Republican party in the last State valid certificate of competency or service appropriate to their several stations in such ship, or of a higher grade; and, in the case of British in his sermon and in the reason he assigned for vessels of 1,000 tons net registered tonnage and the necessity of such a delivery. Archbishop upwards, unless it carries in addition to these a Freland is sustained in all the positions he has third mate who has obtained and possesses a taken in the matter, certificate valid for the grade of second mate or a bigher grade.

(6) From and after the commencement of this Act no certicate of competency or service as says he is perfectly willing to fight Mitchell, but master, mate, or engineer shall be issued to any only at the National Sporting Club, for £1000 TABLES. person other than a British subject.

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The following telegrams from our San Francisco exchanges were "crowded out" of last Thursday night's issue :--

LONDON, January 22nd. agent at Hawail is maintaining an absolutely now need only eighty-five to command a majority neutral attitude, and it is added that there is no in the Senate and twenty-three to command a & Co. foundation for the report that the Royalists, when | majority in the Chamber of Deputies. Such a they rebelled early this month, were assured by | majority would mean a collection of revolutionary him that if they held the palace for three hours | measures, such as the abolition of the Senate Great Britain would recognize them as the and the Presidency, an inquisitorial income tax. Government.

NEW YORK, January 22nd. The Herald's Washington correspondent telegraphs: The need of a vessel on the Pacific Coast near the boundary line of Mexico and Guatemals, owing to the disturbed condition of affairs between those two countries growing out of the boundary line dispute, is making itself apparent to the officials. There are two vessels | steamer Peru at the Mail dock yesterday when ready for this duty, the Bennington and Ranger. he discovered a truck with a false-bottom attach-

with the chances in favor of the latter. Mexico, within easy steaming distance of the the attempt at bribery, and then took the disputed territory.

will interfere, but it is considered -safer for the preservation of the "Monroe" dectrine that an | which Matsuc can be prosecuted for having the Am-ican vestel should be at hand,

this station, will possibly go along the Pacific coast of South, America, stopping especially at ports in Peru, where a fer more serious condition of affiles exists than is generally supposed.

CITY OF MEXICO, January 22nd. regarding the probable outbreak of war between Mexico and Guatemais, which is to the effect that Geneal Disz, Prisident of the Mexican republic, will take command of the forces on the frontier in person. This report is widely spread In official circles and is not without the range

will not leave his seat as Chief Executive, at demanded at the front.

The general opinion of those close to the Freculive is that he will place the command finally in the hands of one of three men to push. the Guatemalan invasion. Those three officers are General Bernardo Reves, Governor of the State of Nueve Leon and General of division of the Mexican army; General Jose Vincente-Villado, Governor of the State of Mexico and General of brigade, and General Lovis Torres Governor of the State of Sonora and General of brigade. Of these three it is pretty well known that the choice of the President is General Reyes, who is also understood to be the favorite of General Diaz as his successor as chief executive of the republic. The Guatemalan war will give the President an excellent opportunity to bring out his protege and push im well forward in public favor.

RUSSELS, January 22nd. A bomb was exploded yesterday evening in a crowded Caff at Jumet, near Charlerol. Much damage was done to buildings and a panic followed. Nobody was seriously injured.

NEW YORK, January 22nd. The Herald's Paris correspondent cables The causes that led to the resignation of Casimir-Perier are still being discussed by everybody, but none of the theories or surmises advanced appear to be anywhere near the truth. I have the following details from a close friend of the family of the ex-President, and although I believe that they are true, I give them under all possible reservations, in order not to wound an honored and respected family: The real cause of the resignation of M. Casimir-Perler, according to my informant, was not at all political, but of a purely private character. He is on the point of seeking to obtain a divorce from Mmr. Casimir-Perier, and the causes for this are already of long standing. As a matter of fact the first step in the proceedings had already been taken by Casim'r-Perlar's lawy is when he became President of the republic. At that time his mother intervened and her supplications induced him to accept the high office to which he was called, in hopes that the political and public life he and his wife would be forced to lead would put an end to their disagreements. But their misunderstandings became worse, and when M. Casimir-Perier found the joys of political power did not compensate him for his domestic annoyances, when his intimate friend. Burdeau, died and when his other friend, M. Raynal, was bounded down by the Chamber of Deputies because of railway complications, in a fit of anger he resigned.

At the Palace of Justice it is said a divorce is imminent. I must add that in spite of all this, which certainly forms very valid reasons for Casimir-Perfer's act, the most intimate friends of the ex-President judge his conduct very

January 23rd. The Sum's Paris correspondent cables as fellows: The Figure prints an unnecessary and abbriously mulicious denial of the report that (a.) No "Biltish ship" in the foreign trade. Casimir-Perier is about to apply for a divorce; and no "British ship" requiring or holding a There never has been the slightest excuse for the presenger certificate, whether in the home or attack upon the character of an innocent woman, foreign trade, shall go to sea from any port in the | which this denial implies. The wife of the ex-President is the aggrieved party not the guilty thereof and the first and second and third one. According to all versions certain events in mates, or only mate (as the case may be), the domestic life of Casimir-Perier have now have obtained and possess valid certificates of reached the proportions of a widespread public scandal. His name is everywhere connected with that of the widow of one of the most promigrade, and no home-trid' ship exceeding 50 tons | nent public men in France. The insinuation buithen, and not requiring or holding a made by the Figure will probably cause the passenger certificate, shall go to sea as aforesaid | whole story to become public, in order to unless at least the master has obtained and establish the good name of the recent mistress possesses a valld certificate, it being the express of the Elyrée, if for no other reason. It is said object of this enactment only ships of 50 tons to be due solely to the strenuous efforts of the burthen and under, and not holding or requiring | mother of the ex-President that an open breach a passenger certificate, and trading within the | was prevented several weeks ago. The records home-trade lim to shall be exempt from this sec- of the French courts in such matters are not tion; and every person who, having beenengaged | open to public inspection, but there is good to serve as master, or as first, or second, or third, reason for believing that no action is pending at or only mate of any such ship, goes to sea as the present moment involving the differences afo esaid as such master or mate without being between Casimir-Perler and his wife. It is at the time entitled to and possessed of such a affirmed to-day-with what truth events will certificate as hereinbefore required, or who show—that they will go south together in a day

ROME, January, 23rd. The trouble growing out of the attack made upon Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, Minn., by Bishop McOusid of Rochester, N. Y., has been the subject of an inquiry by the Vatican, it having been held by the supporters of the McOuald in the Rochester Cathedral was (c.) No British ship of 500 tons net register subversive of church discipline. In this sermon elections. Briefly, the conclusions of the Court are that Bishop McQuaid committed a mistake

> LONDON, January 23rd. The Sporting Life publishes an interview with Peter Jackson, in which the coloured fighter a side. In the course of the talk Jackson remarked that some powerful motive must have luduced Mitchell to after the opinion he had some five years ago, when he drew the colour line. The Paris correspondent of the Times in a

dispatch to that journal notes the extreme danger of the rapid increase of Radical power in the French Parliament. During several months the It is officially stated that the British consular Radicals have gained one hundred votes and and a confiscating separation of church and State, which would be fatal to any country, be on View on and after WEDNESDAY, the 27th especially when taken in connection with a instant. licentious press and the so-called democratized,

which means insubordinate, army. SAN FRANCISCO, January 24th. Customs Inspector Enlow was ransacking the baggage belonging to the cabin passengers of the ment. Believing that it contained oplum he The Administration has another reason for proceeded to investigate the interior of the secret deciding that a vessel should be stationed in this | compariment, when the owner of the trunk. a vicinity. According to reports received in the Japanese named G. Matsuo, sushed up to him Bureau of Naval Intelligence the British Govern- | and the inspector says offered him \$10 to coase ment has the protected cruisers Royal Arthur, prying into the trunk. Enlow says he called Champton, Satellite and Nymphe at Acapulco, | upon several of his fellow inspectors to witness I Japanese into excledy. The trunk was found to

There is no fear that the British men-o'-war | contain a large number of obicene pictures. The customs officers say there is no law upon pictures in his cossession, the only provision The Bennington, if she does not remain at | being for their confiscation. But they can make matiers decidedly uncomfortable for the Jap by reason of his attempt to bribe Enlow, and they intend to prosecute him on that charge. Matsuo claims to be a merchant and says he owns a notion store in Washington, D. C. He was just I HE Company's Steamship There is an interesting story in circulation | returning from an annual trip to his native country, he says, when he was arrested. He makes no attempt to deny that he was endeavoring to smuggle the pictures but denies the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 26th instant, at charge that he tried to bribe the inspector.

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Siemssen & Co.

23rd Feb., -Chinklang 19th Feb., Rica,-

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. China, German steamer, for Salgon, Esmeralda, British steamer, for Manila. Li-yu, German steamer, for Shanghai. Benlawers, British steamer, for Saigon. Tamarind, Norweglan steamer, for Bangkok. Parthian, British steamer, for Salgon. Ethiope, British steamer, for Moli. Gloucester City, British steamer, for Saigon. Memnon, British steamer, for Sandakan, &c. Hattan, British steamer, for Swatow, &c.

DEPARTURES. February 23, China, German str., for Salgon. February 23, Memnon, British steamer, for Sandakan and Kudat. February 23, Tetartos, German str., for Saigon.

February 23, Kong Beng, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. February 23, Ethlops, British str., for Mojt.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED. Per Mongkut, from Bangkok, &c .- 18 Per Nanyang, from Chinklang -12 Chinese.

The German steamship Nanyang left Chinking on the roth instant, and had stiff to strong mansoon with high sea to Breaker Point ; thence

to port had light northerly winds. The British steamship Mongkut left Bangkok on the 12th instant, and Koh-si-chang on the 13th. From Koh-si-chang to Pulo Obi had fine weather and calms, From Pulo Obl to Cape Varella had light north-easterly, and northerly 1 Moore & Co., Ld. -\$2 per share. winds. From Cape Varelia to port had strong monsoon and cloudy weather.

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Instant, at o A.M. For Singapore and Bangkok.—Per Kong Beng on Monday, the 25th instant, at 5 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Tamsul-Per Halloong on Monday, the 25th Instant, at 5 P.M.

For Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, B.C., and Tacoma.—Per Tacoma on Tuesday, the 26th instant, at II. 70 A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Petyang on Tuesday, the 26th instant, at 3,30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and Sas Francisco,-Per Belgic on Tuesday, the 26th

instant, at C P.M. For Singapore.—Per Euplectula on Wednesday, the 27th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Kobe and Yokohama. -- Per Straincarren on Wednesday, the 27th Instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta .- Per

Lightning on Wednesday, the 27th instant, at 2 30 P M. For Shanghai and Tientsin .-- Per Ze-yf on Wednesday, the 27th instant, st 4.30 P.M. For Europe, India, &c., via Brindisi -- Per Kaiser-i-Hind on Thursday, the 28th instant,

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.---Per Verona on Friday, the 1st March, at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghal, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, and Vancouver, B.C .- Per Empress of Tapan on Wednesday, the 20th March, at 11 A.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

STRAMERS.

Belgic, British steamer, 4,211, Wm. H. Walker, 21st Feb.,-San Francisco 24th Jan., Yokohams 14th, and Nagasaki 17th, Mails and General.—O. & O. S. S. Co. BENLAWERS, British steamer, 1,484, A. Webster, 17th February,-Salgon 13th February,

Rice.-Wo Kee. CARRADALE, British steamer, 2,269, J. G. Shary, 18th Feb.,—Calcutta 16th January, Ballett. -Dodwell, Catill & Co.

CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO, American steamer. 3,548, J. F. Smith, 27th Jan.,-San Francisco 13th Dec., Yokohama 6th las., and Nagasaki 14th, Mails and General.-P. M. S. S. Co.

-- Order. -Shewan & Co. FUPLECTELA, British steamer, 2,507, F. C.

Kerosene Oll.—Order. Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.'s tug. Dwyer, 15th Feb.,-Mojl 8th Feb., Coal,-

Dodwell, Carlill & Co. HAILOONG, British steamer, 783, J. Rosch, 22nd

and Swatow 20th, General.-D. Lapralk LIGHTMING, British steamer, 2,124, K. H. Sundberg, 21st Feb ,- Calcutta 4th Feb., Penang 12th, and Singapore 15th, Ophum and

MALACCA, British steamer, 2,615, G. W. Case aist Feb ... London oth Jan., and Singapore 15th Feb., General,-P. & O. S. N. Co. NANCHANG, British steamer. 1,004, E. Finlayson, 22nd February,-Canton 22nd Feb,

General. -- Butterfield & Swire. ARTHIAN, British steamer, 1,040, C. C. Thomson, prat Feb., -Saigon'toth Feb., Rice. -PHRA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,011, 1

Fowler, 24th January, -Bangkok 15th Jan., and Ang-hin 17th, Rice and General. -Yuen Fat Hong. PRAYA, 103, Captain MacIsaac.-Hongkong

PROGRESS. German steamer, 687, T. Tessen, 21st Feb .- Honcohe Bay 17th Feb., Salt .--Lee Wing & Co. RECORDER, British steamer, 677, R. A. E. Brereton, 17th Jan.,-Singapore 12th Janu

SABINE RICKMERS, German, steamer, 598, T. Saunders, 20th Feb .- Amoy 11th Feb., Ballast,-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. STRATHCARRON, B-lilish steamer, 2,050, Splatt,

TACOMA, British steamer, 1,662, V. Perks, 17th Feb.,-Tacoma 17th January, General.-Dodwell, Carlill, & Co. TAMARIND, Norwegian steamer, 739, Casteberg,

SAITING VESSELS. COLOMA, American bark, 849, C. H. Noyes, 31st

Dec .- Portland 8th October, and Honolulu 20th. Timber -- Master. GARTHA, Norwegian barque, 541, C. Tenrelsen, GOV. ROBIE, American ship, 1,627, Nickie, 17th

Feb.,-New York 7th October, Kerosene Oll.—Order. RAJAH, German ship, 1,245, Joh. Bellmer, 18th Jan.,-- Cardiff 1st Sept., Coal.-Order. SACHEM, American ship, 1,312, J. C. Bartlett,

11th Jan.,-Hiogo 30th Dec., General .--Stemssen & Co. SINTRAM, American ship, 1,500, Woodside, 20th Dec., -Yokohama oth December, Ballast.-

TILLIE E. STARTRICK, American ship, 1,931, E. Curtis, 28th Jan ... Shanghal 24th Jan., Ballast,-Shewan & Co.

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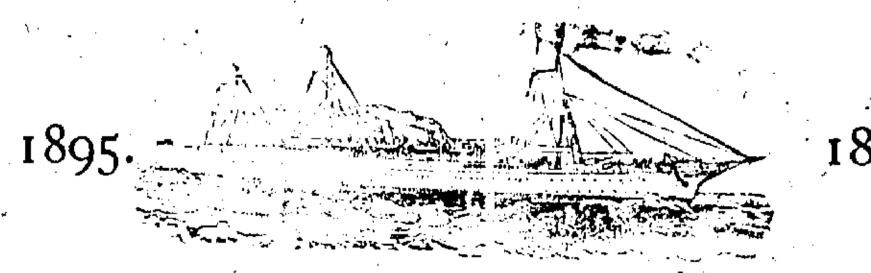
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DROT, Norwegian steamer, 1,862, H. Hanseo, roth Feb. -- Batoum 25th Feb., Petroleum.

ESMERALDA, British steamer, o66, G. A. Taylor, 18th Feb. -- Manila atth February, General.

Barry, 10th Feb .- Batoum 12th January, FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain Stopani.-GLOUCESTER CITY, British steamer, 1,409,

February,-Tamsui 18th Feb., Amoy 19th, and Swatow 11st, General .- D. Lapraik HAITAN, British steamer, 1,183. F. D. Goddard, 21st Feb .- Foochow 17th Feb., Amoy 18th,

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